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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97

Sir:


Applicant submits this Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(1). Enclosed herewith is the List of References Cited by Applicant (PTO-1449) (two sheets), as well as a copy of each reference (except U.S. patents or published applications) listed thereon. A copy of a Search Report from the European Patent Office obtained in connection with a priority application has also been included herewith.

For those references listed on attached Form PTO-1449 that are in English, no further commentary by Applicant is believed necessary, 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3). For those references that are not in English, Applicant refers the Examiner to the English language Search Report submitted herewith. MPEP § 609. Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the cited references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

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